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PRICE, \$2.50 PER MONTH.

OUR JOBBING DEPARTMENT  
HAVING been REPLEN-  
ISHED with a large as-  
sortment of the latest EUROPEAN  
and AMERICAN NOVELTIES,  
we are prepared to execute  
orders for FANCY WORK with  
neatness and despatch, and at  
very moderate rates.

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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

London.—F. AIGAR, 11, & 12, Clement's  
Lane, Lombard Street, E.C.; George  
Straker & Co., 30, Clerkenwell, GUNSON  
& GORON, 11, & 12, Walbury, E.C.;  
SAMUEL DRAGON & Co., 150 & 154,  
Lauderdale Street, W.M. WATSON, 151,  
Cannon Street, E.C.; ROBERT WATSON,  
150, Fleet Street.

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FAVRE & Co., 18, Rue de la Grande  
Bretagne.

NEW YORK.—THE CHINESE EVANGELIST  
OFFICE, 62, West 22nd Street.

SAN FRANCISCO AND AMERICAN PORTS  
generally.—DEAN & BLACK, San Fran-  
cisco.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW  
ZEALAND.—GUNSON & GORON, Mel-  
bourne and Sydney.

OBYLOW.—W. M. STONE & Co., The  
MANUFACTURERS OF CHINAS.

SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—KELLY &  
WILSON, SINGAPORE.

CHINA.—MORO, A. A. de CUCZ, ATOM,  
N. MOULIN & Co., LIMA, LIMA;

H.-W. CHURCHILL, SHANGHAI, TIANJIN;

CRAWFORD & CO., and KELLY &  
WILSON, YOKOHAMA, LIMA, CRAWFORD  
& CO., and KELLY & CO.

Banks.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.

THE business of the above Bank is con-  
ducted by the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.  
Rules may be obtained on applica-  
tion.

INTEREST on deposits is allowed at  
3% PER CENT. per annum. Depositors  
may transfer at their option balances of  
\$100 or more to the HONGKONG AND  
SHANGHAI BANK, to be placed on  
FIXED DEPOSIT at 4 PER CENT. per  
annum.

For the Hongkong and Shanghai  
Banking Corporation.

T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, August 1, 1896. 1656

THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,  
AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER 1853.  
HEAD OFFICE, LONDON.

CAPITAL PAID UP ... \$300,000  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-  
HOLDERS ... \$300,000  
RESERVE FUND ... \$300,000

INTEREST allowed on Current Account  
at the rate of 2% per annum on the  
Daily balance.

On Fixed Deposits for 12 months 4%.

" " " 6 " 64%

" " " 3 " 25%

T. H. WHITEHEAD,  
Manager.

Hongkong, October 17, 1896. 846

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI  
BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-IN CAPITAL ... \$10,000,000.  
RESERVE FUND ... \$3,000,000.  
RESERVE LIABILITY OF  
PARTICIPATORS ... \$10,000,000.

COUNCIL OF DIRECTORS.—

A. McCONAGHIE, Esq.—Chairman;  
S. C. MICHAELSEN, Esq.—Deputy Chairman;

H. J. BELL-IRVING, R. L. RICHARDSON,  
C. BURMANN, Esq.

G. B. DODWELL, Esq. D. R. SASQUON, Esq.

M. D. ECKHOLM, Esq. R. SHAWAN, Esq.

R. M. GRAY, Esq. N. A. SIEBS, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER :—  
Hongkong—T. JACKSON, Esq.

MANAGER :—  
Shanghai—J. P. WADE GARDNER, Esq.

LONDON BANKERS—LONDON AND COUNTY  
BANKING CO., Ltd.

HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED.

On Current Account at the rate of 2  
per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

ON FIXED DEPOSITS.—

For 3 months 2% per cent. per annum.

" 6 " 3%

" 12 " 4%

" 18 " 5%

T. JACKSON,  
Chief Manager.

Hongkong, December 7, 1896. 368

THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA,  
LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL ... £1,000,000.

UNSUBSCRIBED CAPITAL ... £ 500,000.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

Court of Directors.

D. GILLIES, Esq. H. SWARTHOFT, Esq.

CHAN KEE SHAN, CHOW TUNG SHAN,  
Esq.

KWAN HOI CHUEN, Esq.

GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR.

Interest for 12 months Fixed 5%.

Hongkong, October 23, 1896. 1711

AN EFFECTUAL STOP  
IS NOT TO ANXETY.

THE NEW GUARANTEED CASH  
VALUE POLICY  
OF THE

'EQUITABLE.'

This Policy provides three things: (1) Protection for the family; (2) Provision for the assured's later years; (3) A valuable investment.

When three annual premiums have been paid the policy acquires yearly thereafter three distinct GUARANTEED values in (1) paid-up assurance; (2) Cash; (3) Loan at 5 per cent.

This policy is pronounced by experienced  
men of business to be the best and most  
liberal contract of life assurance ever issued  
and it is offered by an office having the  
splendid SURPLUS of £28,000,000 sterling  
to support its GUARANTEES.

Full Particulars and Illustrations from  
the General Agents.

J. T. HAMILTON,  
Manager of the East.

Hongkong, October 27, 1896. 837

## Business Notices.

### WEDDING PRESENTS.

### NEW YEAR PRESENTS.

#### A NEW AND SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF ELECTRO-PLATED GOODS

JUST ARRIVED,

Including:—CLOUT STANDS, CLARET JUGS, TEA AND COFFEE POTS, SUGAR and CREAM STANDS, BISCUIT BOXES, TANTALUS SPIRIT STANDS, PEELING DISHES, BUTTER DISHES, DRESSING KNIVES AND FORKS in CASES, PINE APPLES in CASES, ENTREE DISHES, LID PAILS and numero of other ARTICLES.

—ALSO—

FANCY LEATHER GOODS,

Comprising:—ALBUMS, LADIES' DRESSING BAGS, SCISSOR CASES, WORK-BASKETS, PHOTO FRAMES, PUPPES, CARD CASES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES, &c., &c.

Our entirely NEW STOCK of MEERSCHAUM PIPES, CIGAR and CIGARETTE HOLDERS (CARVED and PLAIN), CIGAR PIPES, should be inspected.

## HONGKONG, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 31, 1896.

## Business Notices.

### BELL'S ASBESTOS EASTERN AGENCY, LIMITED.

ALSO SOLE AGENTS FOR:

ALUMINIUM AND GENERAL FOUNDRY SYNDICATE,  
LIMITED.

NEW WIRE WOVED ROOFING CO.

SNOWDON SON'S & CO., 'SNOWDRIFT.'

GEIPEL'S PATENT STEAM TRAP.

LEWIS BERGER & SONS' PAINTS, OILS AND VARNISHES.

TURTON BROS. & MATTHEWS' STEEL GOODS.

FRASER & CHALMERS, LTD., MINING MACHINERY.

BELL'S ASBESTOS CO., LTD.

DAGGER AND DEMON' PACKINGS.

ENGINE AND CYLINDER OILS.

ASBESTOS BOILER COVERING,  
&c., &c., &c.

W. JACKSON,  
Manager.

2603

PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM  
NAVIGATION COMPANY

WILL despatch VESSELS to the Undermentioned PORTS on the DATES  
named:—

FOR STEAMSHIP CAPTAIN DATE

JAPAN, Verona, C. H. S. TOOKE, R.N.R., Noon, 1st Jan., 1897.

KOBE, Mazagon, E. G. ANDREWS, Noon, 2nd Jan., 1897.

LONDON, Slade, E. H. GORDON, About 12th Jan., 1897.

LONDON via MARSEILLES, Borneo, E. P. BISHOP, About 23rd Jan., 1897.

For Freight or Passage, and further Particulars, apply to

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 31, 1896. 2649

THE EASTERN EXTENSION THE GREAT NORTHERN  
AUSTRALASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, OF COPENHAGEN.  
LIMITED.

### FURTHER REDUCTION OF TELEGRAPH RATES.

ON and after the 1st of JANUARY next, the following REDUCED RATES  
will be Charged for Telegrams from the Cable Stations in China.

### RATES PER WORD FROM HONGKONG.

REDUCED ON 1st JULY, 1896.

FURTHER REDUCTION 1st JANUARY, 1897.

To From To

STRAITS SETTLEMENTS:—  
Penang 1.80 1.20 1.15

Malacca and Native States 1.80 1.05 1.00

Singapore 1.40 1.60 99

NORTH BORNEO:—  
Labuan 0.80 0.75 70

DUTCH INDIES:—  
Java 1.80 1.35 1.25

2.00 1.60 1.50

INDIA:—  
Burma 1.80 1.50 1.15

Ceylon 1.80 1.65 1.15

INDO-CHINA:—  
Tonkin 0.80 0.80 30

Tonkin via Saigon 1.35 1.10 1.10

Annam 0.70 60

Annam via Saigon 1.15 05

Cochin China 0.80 60

SIAM via Saigon 1.05 85

SIAM via Maulemein 3.00 1.85

AUSTRALASIA:—  
South Australia 2.00 2.65

West Australia 2.00 2.65

Victoria 2.00 2.70

New South Wales 2.95 2.75

New Zealand 3.10 2.85

Zanzibar 4.10 3.40

Madagascar 4.45 3.40



## THE CHINA MAIL.

To-morrow being a holiday there will be no issue of the *China Mail*.

## REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

[SUPPLIED TO THE "CHINA MAIL"]

LONDON, 29th December, 1896.

## DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT.

Mr Wan, Nethipuri Beumerik, at present Secretary of the Legation at Pekin, has been appointed Consul-General at Budapest.

## TURKEY AND THE POWERS.

M. Nulloff has warned the Sultan of the necessity for following the counsels of the Powers, as in the event of his not doing so the sequel would be unpleasant.

## SERIOUS ACCIDENT TO CAPTAIN RADCLIFFE, RIFLE BRIGADE.

(Special Telegram from Our Own Correspondent.)

SINGAPORE, Thursday, Dec. 31, 1996.

Whilst taking part in a horse-chase near Singapore, Captain Charles Edward Radcliffe, of the Rifle Brigade, was badly thrown from his horse, and had his leg broken.

## WEATHER NOTICE.

The following notice is issued from the Observatory:—

On the 1st at 11.30 a.m. The high pressure will spread Eastward Japan. There is little change elsewhere, except on the East of China, where the barometer has fallen. Forecast:—fresh N.E. and E. winds; cloudy, misty.

## THE PUNJOM MINING CO., LTD.

The fifth ordinary general meeting of the shareholders in the Punjom Mining Co., Ltd, was held to-day in the Company's Offices, No. 9 Praya Concourse. Mr. D. Gilles presided. The other present were:—Messrs W. R. Loxley, Mr. Lewis and C. A. Tonnes (Directors), J. D. Duncan (Secretary), E. George (Captain), Mr. Tillet, Captain A. W. W. Winkler, G. Murray Bain, G. C. Fox, W. G. W. C. Sharp, Hart-Bell, E. W. Taylor, F. H. W. O. Womble, H. J. Mathiatis, B. W. Polishuk, Bhaban, Matheson, etc.

The Secretary read the notice calling the meeting.

The Chairman said:—gentlemen, with your permission, we will follow the usual course on such occasions and take the Report as read, seeing the it has been in your hands for some time. Our efforts during the past year have not quite met with the successful result we hoped for, neither have the deposits found in the workings proved so valuable as we from time to time anticipated still we have made steady progress with the development of the mine. A large amount of underground work has been carried out and some important discoveries made of both new reefs and large schists of ore, which, although of low value at present, are yet payable at the mine, and the indications are all in favour of the value of the ore being high and we continue to expect that in which case we shall shortly open up large reserves of ore in sight.

In answer to Mr. C. George as to certain points in the account being more clearly stated, the Chairman said:—We hope that in a year or two less we won't be using the calcining process. We hope that the whole will be undertaken by the Chinese on various parts of the out-crop, and large holes in the valleys much the sites of which have been worked by them at a comparatively recent date.

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## Notices to Consignees.

STEAMSHIP SYDNEY.  
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES  
MARITIMES.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from BORDEAUX  
to Steamship *Sydney* and *Ville de  
Bordeaux* in connection with the above  
Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods—with the exception of Opium  
Treasures and Valuables—are being landed  
and stored at their risk into the Godowns  
and at their risk into the Godowns  
of the HONGKONG & KOWLOON WHARF &  
GODOWN COMPANY, LTD., at Kowloon,  
whence delivery may be obtained im-  
mediately after landing.

Optional Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Underwriters.

Goods remaining unclaimed after Wed-  
nesday, the 30th December, at Noon, will  
be subject to Removal and landing charges.

All Claims must be sent in to me on or  
before Wednesday, the 30th December, or  
they will not be recognized.

All Damaged Packages will be examined  
on Wednesday, the 30th December, at 3  
p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. de CHAMPAUX,  
Agent.

Hongkong, December 24, 1896. 2610

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY.

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP OLYMPIA,  
FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-  
HAMA, KOBE AND MOJI.

THE above Steamer having arrived, Con-  
signees of Cargo are hereby requested  
to send in their Bills of Lading for counter-  
signature, and to take immediate delivery  
of their Goods from alongside.

The Cargo impeding the discharge of the  
Vessel will be landed and stored at Con-  
signee's risk and expense.

DODWELL, CARILL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 29, 1896. 2634

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL  
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S  
STEAMER FORMOSA.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, COLOM-  
BO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
named Vessel are hereby informed  
that their Goods are being landed and  
placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND  
KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY'S  
GODOWNS at Kowloon, where each con-  
signee will be sorted out by Mark by  
which delivery may be obtained as soon as the  
Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here un-  
less instructions are given to the contrary  
before 4 p.m., To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 3rd January,  
at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me  
in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in  
the Godowns and certificates of the damage  
obtained from the Godown Company  
within ten days after the vessel's arrival  
here after which no Claims will be re-  
cognized.

H. A. RITCHIE,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 28, 1896. 2625

## NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL  
STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S  
STEAMER ROSETTA.

FROM BOMBAY, COLOMBO AND  
STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above  
named Vessel are hereby informed  
that their Goods are being landed and  
placed at their risk in the HONGKONG AND  
KOWLOON WHARF and GODOWN COMPANY'S  
GODOWNS at Kowloon, where each con-  
signee will be sorted out by Mark by  
which delivery may be obtained as soon as the  
Goods are landed.

This Vessel brings on Cargo—  
From London, &c. ex. s.s. Oceanus and  
Cormorant. From AUSTRALIA, ex. s.s. Aca-  
dia. From PERSIAN GULF, ex. s.s. Bagdad  
and Pearly.

Optional Goods will be landed here un-  
less instructions are given to the contrary  
before 4 p.m., To-day.

Goods not cleared by the 3rd January,  
at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by me  
in any case whatever.

All Damaged Packages must be left in  
the Godowns and certificates of the damage  
obtained from the Godown Company within  
ten days after the vessel's arrival here, after  
which no Claims will be recognized.

H. A. RITCHIE,  
Superintendent.

Hongkong, December 28, 1896. 2624

LANGUID WOMEN.  
PALE CHILDREN.  
OLD PEOPLE, INVALIDS.VIN CHAPOTEAUT  
(CHAPTEAU'S WINE OF PERTHUE).A DELICIOUS  
NUTRITIVE  
STIMULANT.

The alimentary wine is easily assimilated when  
no other solid or liquid food will remain on the  
stomach; it is indicated in constitutional weakness  
and lack of digestive power.

It helps indigestion, stimulates the  
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## INTERIORS.

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AN  
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BREWED FROM  
WATERS UNSUR-  
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BREWED ONLY  
WITH BAVARIAN  
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## REMARKS.

Unsurpassed as a tonic for the ladies. Once tried by them they will agree with the remarks of our other lady friends and continue to patronize us. For the gentlemen it is a cooling and refreshing drink. All who have tried it stand by it. We only ask one trial and will then rest on our merits.

SEATTLE BREWING &amp; MALTING CO.,

HONGKONG BRANCH,

ICE HOUSE LANE.

F. BISHOP,  
Acting Manager.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *a*, and those in the body of the Harbour or midway between each shore are marked *b*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusives of late arrivals and departures reported to-day.

The Harbour is divided into eleven Sections, commencing from the Kowloong shore *a*, and those in the body of the Harbour *b*.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.

2. From Gas Works to Jardine's Wharf.

3. From Jardine's Wharf to the Harbour Master's Office.

4. From Harbour Master's to the P. & O. Co.'s Office.

5. From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Pedder's Wharf.

6. From Pedder's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Naval Yard to Blue Buildings.

8. From Blue Buildings to Fast Point.

9. From Kowloon Wharf to North Point.

10. Kowloon Wharf.

11. Jardine's Wharf.

12. From Kowloon Wharf to the body of the Harbour.

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